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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

This Amendment is filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 in response to the Final Office Action dated May 22, 2003 and the Advisory Action dated July 29, 2003. Attached is a petition and fee for a three month extension of time, up to and including November 24, 2003, for responding to the Final Office Action. It is not believed that any additional fees are required. However, if any additional fees are required, authorization is hereby given to charge Deposit Account 50-2849, referencing attorney docket number 150449 and client number 23467.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.